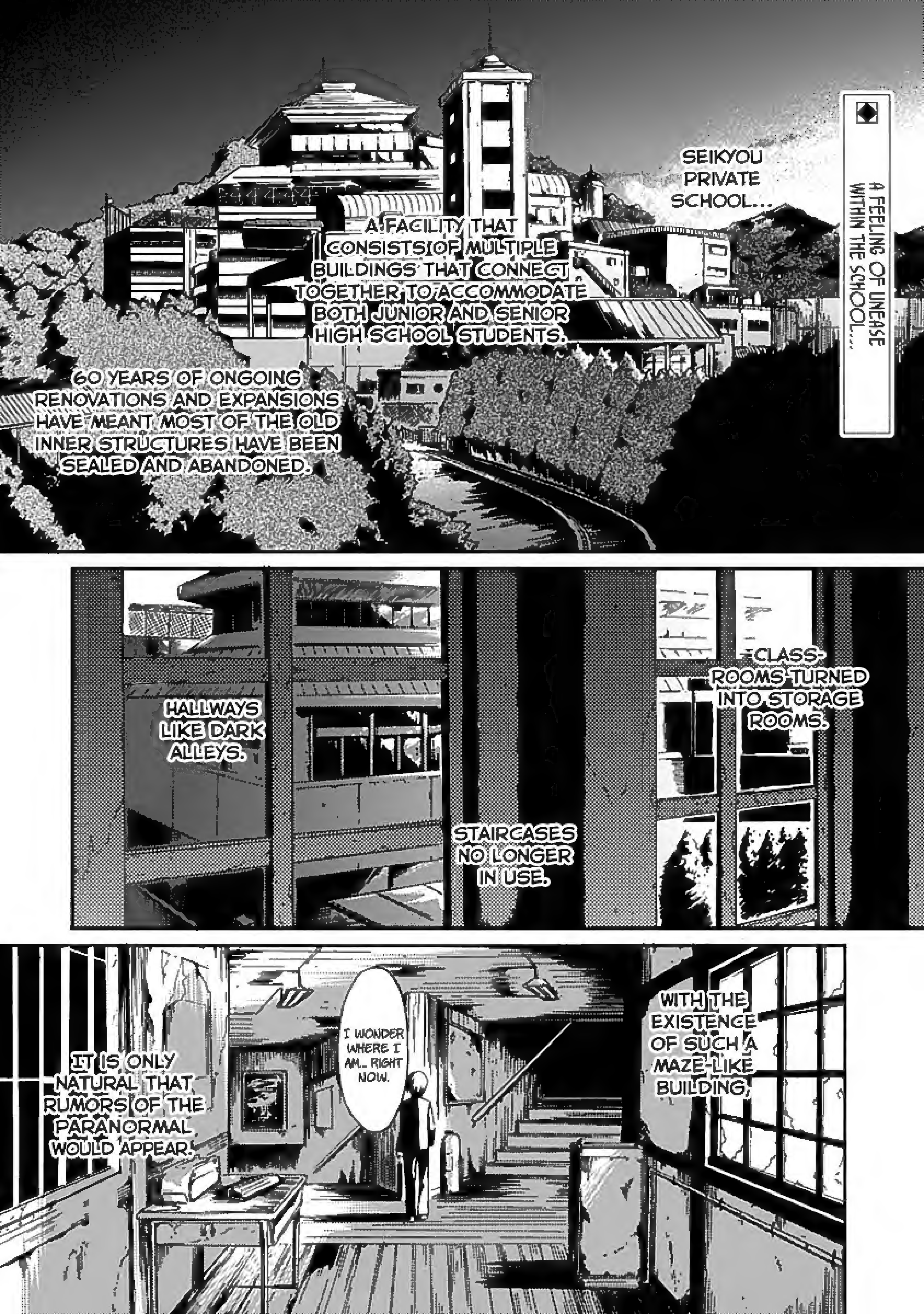


黄昏乙女×アムネジア
Dusk maiden of Amnesia
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A school horror story comes in the form of a young girl —
"Yuuko-san's" debut story!!
THIS SCHOOL WAS BUILT ON FORBIDDEN GROUNDS.
GROUNDS THAT WERE CURSED AND GREATLY FEARED BY THE PEOPLE.
TO APPEASE THE CURSE, A LIVE HUMAN SACRIFICE WAS MADE.
A YOUNG FEMALE STUDENT WAS CHOSEN FOR THE RITUAL.
SOMEWHERE IN THIS SCHOOL LIES THE GIRL WHO ACTED AS A HUMAN PILLAR...
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Chapter 1
MAIDEN'S HEART & EVENING'S SKY
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『ガンガンJOKER』連載
「黄昏乙女×アムネジア」ファーストエピソード!!
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A FEELING OF UNEASE WITHIN THE SCHOOL...
SEIKYOU PRIVATE SCHOOL...
A FACILITY THAT CONSISTS OF MULTIPLE BUILDINGS THAT CONNECT TOGETHER TO ACCOMMODATE BOTH JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.
60 YEARS OF ONGOING RENOVATIONS AND EXPANSIONS HAVE MEANT MOST OF THE OLD INNER STRUCTURES HAVE BEEN SEALED AND ABANDONED.
CLASS-ROOMS TURNED INTO STORAGE ROOMS.
STAIRCASES NO LONGER IN USE.
HALLWAYS LIKE DARK ALLEYS.
WITH THE EXISTENCE OF SUCH A MAZE-LIKE BUILDING,
I WONDER WHERE I AM... RIGHT NOW.
IT IS ONLY NATURAL THAT RUMORS OF THE PARANORMAL WOULD APPEAR.


HEY, DID YOU KNOW?
SOME-WHERE IN THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING THERE'S THIS BIG OLD MIRROR.
AND NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS,
YOU MUST NEVER LOOK OVER YOUR SHOULDER WHILE STAND-ING IN FRONT OF IT.
IF YOU DO,
THE GHOST OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING WILL DRAG YOU INTO THE MIRROR, WHERE YOU'LL WANDER INSIDE IT FOR ALL ETERNITY...
THE GHOST OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILD-ING... ONE OF THE SCHOOL'S SEVEN MYSTERIES... HM.
OF ALL THE DREADED RUMORS, THIS ONE CAME TO MIND...
SEIKYOU SCHOOL'S JUNIOR HIGH, 1ST YEAR STUDENT NIIYA TEIICHI
THIS SHOULD BE THE 1ST FLOOR OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING.
SO THE EXIT SHOULD BE AROUND...


...HUH? THAT'S NOT RIGHT...
WONDER WHAT'S IN HERE...
A STORE-ROOM OR SOMETHING MAYBE.
IT'S OPEN..?
SFX: DOOR SLIDING...


ANYBODY IN HERE~~?
MM?
...WHO AM I KIDDING? NOBODY'S GOING TO BE HERE.
A MIRROR..? NOW THAT'S CREEPY.
SEEMS LIKE THERE'S NOTHING BUT OLD JUNK IN HERE.
Hard to make out anything...
SO IT'S A STOREROOM THEN.
...TEIICHI-KUN.


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U...
UWA AAA AH!
SFX: BANG


OH MY...
DOES...
MY FACE LOOK SO SCARY TO YOU?
EH..?
I'M SORRY! THAT'S NOT IT.
I JUST THOUGHT I WAS ALONE AND...
YOU KIND OF CAUGHT ME BY SURPRISE...
REALLY?
THANK GOOD-NESS.
giggle


IT'S RATHER RARE... FOR SOMEONE TO COME TO A PLACE LIKE THIS.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
ぱんぱん
SFX: DUSTING
...EH? WELL ER... HOW DO I PUT THIS,
JUST KINDA LOST MY WAY I GUESS.
NO WONDER. THIS BUILDING IS... RATHER OLD AFTER ALL.
OKAY THEN.
RAVEN BLACK, LONG SILKY HAIR,
I'LL TAKE YOU ALL THE WAY TO THE EXIT.
CREAMY WHITE SKIN,
LONG SLIT-LIKE EYES.
COME ON, FOLLOW ME.
TALL AND SLENDER FIGURE...
BUT,
THAT'S NOT ALL THERE IS.
AH...
OKAY!
THERE'S
SOMETHING DIFFERENT ABOUT THIS PERSON. SOMETHING PHENOMENAL.


SO,
IS THIS YOUR 1ST YEAR?
...YEAH.
GOT YOURSELF LOST AND ENDED ALL THE WAY UP THERE...
EHEH.
YOU'RE QUITE THE DORK. ♡
AND WHAT ABOUT THIS PERSON?
WHY'S SHE THERE IN THE FIRST PLACE?
COULD IT BE...
...HEY, DID YOU KNOW?
ABOUT THE GHOST OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING...


WHAT'S WRONG?
NO WAY... IT CAN'T BE.
JUST WONDERING... WHY WERE YOU IN A PLACE LIKE THAT?


THAT'S BECAUSE I...
AM THE GHOST OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING.
......
...EH?
I SAID, I'M A GHOST.
PLE... PLEASE... PLEASE DON'T JOKE ABOUT THINGS LIKE THAT!
IT CAN'T BE...
NOW WHY WOULD YOU THINK I WAS JOKING ABOUT IT?


BE- CAUSE...!
THAT'S IT...
IF SHE'S REALLY A GHOST...
SFX: REACH OUT
THEN I WON'T BE ABLE TO TOUCH HER!
SFX: GRAB
AH...
I CAN TOUCH HER!?
IT FEELS SO WARM AS IF...
JUST LIKE A HUMAN WOULD.
I SUPPOSE...
THESE TEND TO BE QUITE A TEMPTATION.
SFX: SQUEEZE SOFTLY


SFX: GASP
SO WAS IT SOFT ENOUGH FOR YOU?
AH...
I-I'M SORRY!
IT'S OKAY. DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.
BUT... YOU'RE A GHOST, YET I'M ABLE TO TOUCH YOU... IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE.
THE FACT THAT YOU'RE ABLE TO TOUCH ME DOESN'T ACTUALLY PROVE THAT I'M NOT A GHOST, DOES IT?
......
THOUGH THAT DOESN'T REALLY MATTER ANYMORE, WOULDN'T YOU AGREE?
?
I MYSELF,
CAN'T CLEARLY REMEMBER MY DEATH AT ALL.
EH?


NO...
IMMEDIATE ANSWERS TO THE WHEN, HOW AND WHY.
NO LINGERING AFFECTION.
NO UNSETTLED HATRED.
YET I HAVE NO DESIRE TO SEARCH FOR THE TRUTHS,
EVEN THOUGH I HAVE NO RE-COLLECTION OF THEM.
THUS, IT REALLY SHOULDN'T MATTER WHAT I AM ANYMORE...
COME.
......
WE'RE ALMOST AT THE SCHOOL GATE...
I'M KANOE YUUKO.
AND YOU ARE?


KANOE YUUKO,
THERE'S NO ONE [redacted] THAT NAME IN THIS SCHOOL.
WAS THE NAME... NOT HER REAL ONE?
IF NOT,
SHE COULD REALLY BE A GHOST...
THEN.
AH.
STOP
EH!?
SFX: TURN
IS SHE REALLY A GHOST!?
wave
wave
SO YES-TERDAY WAS ALL JUST A LIE THEN?
ABOUT YOU BEING A GHOST... JUST TO FOOL AROUND WITH ME.


LOOK AROUND YOU.
NOBODY EVEN NOTICES ME WHEN I PASS THEM.
IT'S ONLY YOU,
WHO IS ABLE TO SEE ME AS I AM.
MM~~ ~~?
SO,
WHAT'S UP?
NO,
IT'S NOTHING REALLY. THAT'S NOT WHY I'M HERE.
OH~ I SEE,
YOU'RE CURIOUS ABOUT ME.
EH? WELL... YOU COULD PUT IT THAT WAY.
SO YOU WANT TO GET TO KNOW ME BETTER BECAUSE I'M INTERESTING, RIGHT?
EHEH. ♥
FINE,
IT'S UP TO YOU REALLY.
BUT... AREN'T YOU CURIOUS EVEN JUST A BIT?
YOU KNOW... REGARDING YOUR DEATH AND STUFF.
NOT AT ALL.
DIDN'T I TELL YOU ALREADY?
I DON'T REMEMBER ANY OF IT...



YOU DON'T REMEMBER? IT MUST HAVE BEEN RECENT THOUGH, BASED ON YOUR UNI-FORM.
THAT'S WHAT THE OTHER GIRLS WEAR AT THE MOMENT.
WHAT, THIS?
I'M WEARING THIS BECAUSE I LIKE THE DESIGN.
MY OTHER ONE IS JUST KINDA OLD FASHIONED
REALLY...
HMM... I SEE, I SEE.
YOU CARE THAT MUCH ABOUT ME.
COME.
?
SFX: GRAB
THIS WAY.
I'LL SHOW YOU SOME-THING NICE.
YEP.
I WANT TO SHOW YOU
HOW I LOOKED AT THE TIME OF MY DEATH.
DIDN'T YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT ME?
I'M JUST GOING TO CHANGE HERE.
IT'LL BE QUICK SO WAIT THERE.
CHAN-GE!?
BUT TO CHANGE... I MEAN COULDN'T YOU
JUST LIKE,
GO POOF!
...
AND YOU'RE INSTANTLY CHANGED OR SOMETHING LIKE THAT!?


SFX: STRIPPING
AND HOW DO YOU SUGGEST I DO THAT... IN AN INSTANT?
I remember putting them somewhere around here.
THAT IS...
THAT'S HOW IT IS!?
THAT'S HOW IT IS.
IF YOU AREN'T CAPABLE OF DOING IT, THEN NEITHER CAN I.
!!
AH... WAS THIS THE SAME ROOM FROM YESTERDAY?
YEAH, YOU DIDN'T REALIZE?
I KINDA TOOK IT UPON MYSELF AND MADE IT MY OWN.
SOMEHOW I FEEL AT EASE WHENEVER I STAY IN HERE.
I SEE... COME TO THINK OF IT, WE MET EACH OTHER AROUND HERE YESTERDAY.
MM?


HER RE-FLECTION'S CLEARLY
...HUH?
COME TO THINK OF IT YES-TERDAY...
SHOWING IN THE MIRROR!!!
AH!
SO-SO-SO-
SORRY ABOUT THAT!
I, ER...
I'M SORRY!
は!!
は!!
AHAHA, YOU REALLY ARE A STRANGE BOY.
DID I EVER TELL YOU NOT TO LOOK?
SHOULDN'T YOU BE EM-BARRASSED ABOUT IT?
NOR-MALLY...
WHY SHOULD I? IT'S NOT LIKE THERE'S A REAL BODY, MADE OF LIVING FLESH AND BLOOD, STAND-ING HERE.


TA-DA.
WHAT DO YOU THINK?
THIS IS HOW I LOOKED WHEN I DIED... MY OLD UNIFORM.
...SOME-HOW,
IT KIND OF SUITS YOU MUCH BETTER THAN THE NEW ONE.
ARE YOU SAYING THAT I LOOKED MORE OF AN OLD-FASHION GIRL TO YOU THEN...
THAT...
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT!
...BUT COMING BACK TO THE UNI-FORM,
IT'S A REALLY OUTDATED DESIGN.
THOUGHT SO... SEEMS LIKE IT~
IT'LL BE TOO HARD TO TRACK IT THAT FAR BACK IN TIME...
WELL,
AT LEAST IT'LL BE A HELPFUL HINT IN YOUR SEARCH, RIGHT?


OPEN WIDE.
UPH
ぱくっ
SFX: CLOSE
SO WHAT HAVE YOU FOUND OUT?
NOTHING SOLID YET...
JUST THAT THIS UNIFORM WAS FROM THE TIME THIS SCHOOL WAS FOUNDED.
IF THAT'S THE CASE THEN THIS COULD GO BACK
TO ABOUT 50 YEARS AGO...
LEAVING THAT ASIDE,
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
ME...
I'M SIMPLY ENJOYING MYSELF HERE.
ぱくっ
EVER WONDERED WHY WE'RE ABLE TO TOUCH EACH OTHER
LIKE THIS?
SFX: CLOSE



BESIDES... I'M SURE THERE WILL BE A TIME
WHEN YOU'RE UNABLE TO SEE ME ANYMORE EVEN IF YOU WANTED TO.
SO JUST LET ME TO ENJOY YOUR COMPANY A LITTLE LONGER.
OKAY?
UNABLE TO SEE YOU... ANYMORE?
WHAT'S WITH ALL OF A THIS... SUDDEN...
I'M NOTHING MORE THAN AN ILLUSION IN YOUR EYES.
THIS IS NOTHING MORE THAN A MERE GHOST STORY.
AND THAT IS NOT A REALITY.
I'M NOT SURE IF I FOLLOW YOU...
BUT IF THAT IS THE CASE,
THEN HOW CAN WE...
KEEP THINGS BETWEEN US AS THEY ARE RIGHT NOW?
EHEHE.
HOW INDEED...


FOR EXAMPLE, WE COULD DO THIS.
YOU...
YOU WERE JUST TEASING ME THERE, WEREN'T YOU?
YEP.
WOU... WOULD YOU JUST STOP THAT ALREADY!
OH MY, REALLY NOW--? YOU WERE ACTUALLY ENJOYING YOURSELF THERE.
AH! THE BELL!
NOT MY PROB-LEM. ♡
SFX: SCHOOL BELL CHIMING


hah ♥
hah ♥
Ahaha.
HOW'S THAT?
I BET YOU WON'T BE FORGETTING ME ANY TIME SOON NOW, RIGHT?
MMM...
FEELS MORE LIKE... IT'S DUE TO ME SLOWLY BEING PO-SSESSED BY YOU.
AWW-
THAT'S JUST MEAN.
YOU'RE NOT... ARE YOU?
...I MEAN THE PO-SSESSING PART.
SFX: HUG
......
...WHO KNOWS.
IN THE PAST... THERE WAS THIS RUMOR I HEARD.
......?


IT IS SAID THAT THE VERY HILL THIS SCHOOL WAS BUILT ON IS CURSED...
BECAUSE OF THIS CURSE,
A GIRL ENDED UP BEING SEALED SOMEWHERE IN THIS SCHOOL.
TO THIS DAY THE GIRL HAS NEVER BEEN FOUND...
SHE IS STILL RESTING SOMEWHERE [redacted] THE SCHOOL.
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THEN THAT MEANS YUUKO-SAN,
YOU'RE THE GIRL?
...I'M NOT SURE.
IT'S JUST A RUMOR ANYWAY.
BUT IF THE RUMOR IS TRUE...
AND THE GIRL IS YUUKO-SAN,
THEN SOME-WHERE IN THIS SCHOOL,
LYING TRAPPED UNTIL NOW...
MAYBE SHE HAS BEEN WAITING SINCE THEN, WAITING FOR YOU.


TRAPPED SOMEWHERE WITHIN THE SCHOOL...
SOME-WHERE... TILL THIS VERY DAY.
SOME-BODY!
I'M... SCARED.
...PLEASE.
HELP ME...


TEII-CHI-KUN!
...AH!
WHAT... WAS THAT!?
WHAT'S THE MATTER?
...A DREAM?
NO... IT WASN'T A DREAM.
THAT WAS.
THE REAL YUUKO-SAN IS STILL...
...SOME-WHERE.
SOME-WHERE IN THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING.


...TEIICHI-KUN.
...THE MIRROR!?
SOMEWHERE IN THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING... THERE'S THIS BIG OLD MIRROR...
...WHERE YOU'LL END UP WANDERING INSIDE IT.
WITHIN THE MIRROR...!!
SFX: DASH
SFX: GASP


SFX: SHATTER
SO IT'S REALLY HERE...
THE OLD SCHOOL BUILD-ING'S...
BIG MIRROR.
SHE'S DOWN AT THE END...
ARE YOU SURE...
THAT YOU WANT TO SEE IT?


...WHAT'S AT THE OTHER END.
YUUKO-SAN IS WAITING ON THE OTHER END...
I STILL THINK YOU SHOULDN'T...!!


HEY, DID YOU KNOW?
AH...!
ABOUT THE GHOST OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING.
SFX: FALLING
SFX: TUMBLE
SFX: BAM
OW OW...
SFX: LIGHT BREEZE


SOME-WHERE IN THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING... THERE'S THIS BIG OLD MIRROR,
AND NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS,
YUUKO-... ...SAN?
YOU MUST NEVER LOOK OVER YOUR SHOULDER WHILE STAND-ING IN FRONT OF IT.
SO... YOU HAVE SEEN IT...



THE GHOST OF THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING... WILL DRAG YOU INTO THE MIRROR,
I TOLD YOU NOT TO...
WHERE YOU'LL WANDER... INSIDE IT...
BUT YOU WOULDN'T LISTEN.
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SFX: LOUDLY
WANDER FOR ALL ETERNITY...
IT'S SO HUMILIAT-ING!!!
EH?



T/N: ECCHI = PERVERT

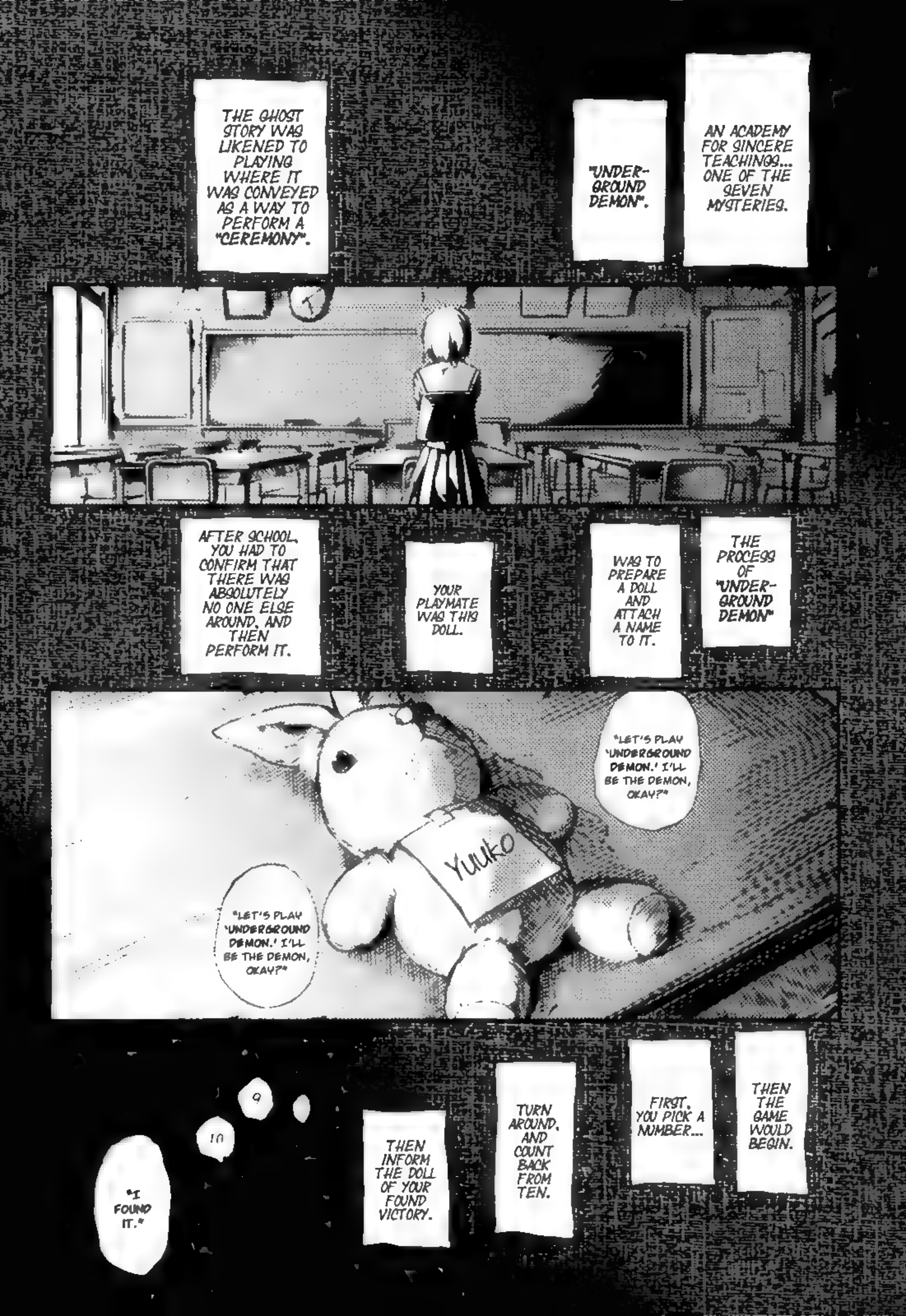
SFX: SIT ABRUPTLY


AS IT TURNS OUT,
YUUKO-SAN DID INDEED DIE IN THIS SCHOOL.
WHETHER IT WAS A STORAGE ROOM OR SOMETHING ELSE BACK THEN...
IT WAS THERE WHERE YUUKO-SAN GOT SEALED IN BY AC-CIDENT.
AND WAS LEFT THERE...
WHOEVER OPENS THIS SHALL BE CURSED!!
T/N: THIS TYPE OF NOTICE IS USUALLY PUT ON GIRLS' LOCKER ROOM DOORS TO KEEP OUT PERVERTS. SO YEAH, IT'S A PUN IN THIS CASE.
THE GHOST IN THE STORY AND THE GIRL IN THE RUMOR,
THEY'RE PROBABLY BOTH RE-FERRING TO YUUKO-SAN.
BUT IT'S UNCERTAIN WHICH IS TRUE.
...WELL,
IT'S NOT LIKE THERE IS ANY SORT OF PROOF...
RUMORS ARE JUST RUMORS, THERE'S NO HEAD OR TAIL ABOUT THEM.


YUUKO-SAN STILL WANDERS WITHIN THE SCHOOL COMPOUND JUST AS SHE ALWAYS HAS.
BUT SOMEHOW, SOMETHING SEEMS TO HAVE CHANGED A BIT...
WHAT'S... THIS?
WELCOME!! PARANORMAL INVESTIGATION CLUB
FOR FURTHER DETAILS, SEE ME.
CURRENTLY ACCEPTING NEW MEMBERS
I THOUGHT I MIGHT START MY OWN CLUB LIKE A NORMAL STUDENT.
SFX: APPEAR
YUUKO-SAN!?
SFX: SURPRISE
I'VE BEEN THINKING MAYBE I SHOULD FIND OUT WHAT I CAN REGARDING MYSELF.
THEREFORE,


SFX: LEAN
SINCE YOU'VE SEEN EVERY PART OF MY BODY THERE IS TO BE SEEN,
TO RETURN THE FAVOR, YOU'RE GOING TO HELP ME OUT, RIGHT?
IN THE END, I'VE BECOME POSSESSED YUUKO-SAN.
SFX: DOOR SHUTTING
...OR HAVE I?


The ghost of a school...
...makes a challenge to a school's ghost story.
A "Gangan Joker" serialization
A fast episode of "Tasogare Otome x Amnesia"!
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AN ACADEMY FOR SINCERE TEACHINGS... ONE OF THE SEVEN MYSTERIES.
"UNDER-GROUND DEMON".
THE GHOST STORY WAS LIKENED TO PLAYING WHERE IT WAS CONVEYED AS A WAY TO PERFORM A "CEREMONY".
THE PROCESS OF "UNDER-GROUND DEMON"
WAS TO PREPARE A DOLL AND ATTACH A NAME TO IT.
YOUR PLAYMATE WAS THIS DOLL.
AFTER SCHOOL, YOU HAD TO CONFIRM THAT THERE WAS ABSOLUTELY NO ONE ELSE AROUND, AND THEN PERFORM IT.
"LET'S PLAY 'UNDERGROUND DEMON.' I'LL BE THE DEMON, OKAY?"
Yuuko
"LET'S PLAY 'UNDERGROUND DEMON.' I'LL BE THE DEMON, OKAY?"
THEN THE GAME WOULD BEGIN.
FIRST, YOU PICK A NUMBER...
TURN AROUND, AND COUNT BACK FROM TEN.
THEN INFORM THE DOLL OF YOUR FOUND VICTORY.
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"I FOUND IT."


"IT'S BURIED IN, YUUKO-SAN."
"THE POST...IS BURIED IN."
YOU'RE ...
...THE DEMON NEXT.
NEXT, YOU HIDE THE NUMBER.
ON THE SAME FLOOR OF THE SCHOOL IN A PLACE IT WON'T BE FOUND... YOU HIDE IT. AND WAIT.


THERE ARE THREE RULES FOR THE HIDING PART.
YOU MUST NOT LEAVE THE BUILDING.
YOU MUST NOT SAY ANYTHING.
YOU MUST NOT BE "FOUND".
THIS IS A GAME PLAYED ON YOUR OWN. NO ONE IS SUPPOSED TO FIND YOU.
HOWEVER, "SOMETHING" WILL MOST CERTAINLY COME FIND YOU.


THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO END "UNDER-GROUND DEMON".
WHICH IS TO TELL THE DOLL THAT THE GAME IS DONE.
HOWEVER, IF THE GAME...
...CANNOT PROPERLY BE ENDED...
...EH?


THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON," IS THEN SUMMONED,
AND WITHOUT TIRE, WILL CONTINUE HUNTING DOWN THAT "SOMETHING" FOR ALL ETERNITY...
AND SO, THE NAME ATTACHED TO THAT DOLL WAS...
"YUUKO".
EH?
WHAT ABOUT ME?
SINCERE EDUCATION AND LEARNING SECONDARY PRIVATE ACADEMY
SENIOR KANOE YUUKO


......
WEREN'T YOU LISTENING,
YUUKO-SAN?
SINCERE EDUCATION AND LEARNING SECONDARY PRIVATE ACADEMY
FRESHMAN NIIYA TEIICHI
THIS IS THE FORMER SCHOOL BUILDING FOR THE PRIVATE ACADEMY FOR SINCERE TEACHINGS.
HMMM... NOT REALLY. ♡
Welcome! PARANORMAL INVESTIGATION CLUB
For further details, contact me.
THE PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB.
YUUKO-SAN AND I ARE THE ONLY MEMBERS ACTIVE IN IT.
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About the Seven Mysteries of the Private Academy for Sincere Teachings
EVEN THOUGH WE FINALLY GOT A CLUE...
PLEASE LISTEN TO ME SERIOUSLY.
I KNOW YUUKO-SAN'S PAST... AND THE GOAL NOW IS TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT.
AND WHY'S THERE A "PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB," YOU ASK?
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WELL...


"UNDERGROUND DEMON," WASN'T IT? I'VE HEARD THAT STORY BEFORE.
B-BUT, IT'S A LITTLE BIT OF A CLUE FROM YOUR PAST!
A GHOST WHO HAS LOST ALL MEMORIES OF HER PAST.
I DON'T KNOW IF IT WAS FROM BEFORE, OR AFTER, BUT I'VE HEARD IT. IT'S DEFINITELY AN OLD STORY.
ENOUGH! YOU'RE TOO SERIOUS, TEIICHI-KUN!
WE'VE GOTTEN TIRED UP UNTIL HERE!
AH!
THAT'S BECAUSE KANOE YUUKO IS A GHOST.


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SO?
DO THESE SUIT ME?
SOMEDAY, I'LL FIGURE OUT THE TRUTH BEHIND...
WOW, YOU HAVE BAD EYESIGHT, DON'T YOU?
ふらっ
U-HOLD ON...! THAT'S DANGEROUS!
WHY HER CORPSE WAS LEFT RESTING IN THIS ROOM IN THE SCHOOL...
ガッ
KYAAAAAAAAA
SORRY, SUPPORT ME!
開けたら 呪う!!
ドタン
OW OW OW...
I'M SORRY...
I COULDN'T REALLY SEE WHERE I WAS GOING...
!!!


......
ARE YOU OKAY?
DO YOU WANT TO TOUCH ME?
HUH?!
N-NO, NOT AT ALL!
WELL, THAT'S NO GOOD...
スッ
YOU SECRETLY DESIRE TO TOUCH A GIRL...
Don't you...?


PLEASE HELP ME!
ガララアアアッ
ビクッ
!!
ギョッ
UM,
TH- THIS ISN'T...
IT'S NOT WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE!
じたばた
じたばた


AH!
YOU'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF SPIRITUALISM OR SOMETHING LIKE THAT!
I SEE!
??
TH-THAT'S NOT IT... THIS IS...
THE GIRL CAN'T SEE ME.
HUH?
SHE CAN'T SEE ME.
IN ANY CASE, IS THAT OKAY? THE GIRL SEEMS TO WANT YOU HELP HER WITH SOMETHING.
OH, I SEE...
AH...
WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?
YOU ASKED FOR HELP BEFORE...
OH!
A-A-A-AT THIS RATE...
YUUKO-SAN IS G-GOING TO BE K-K-K-KILLED!
YUUKO-SAN'S... GOING TO BE KILLED?!


THREE DAYS AGO, OKONOGI MOMOE PERFORMED ONE OF THE ACADEMY'S SEVEN MYSTERIES, THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON".
"IF THE GAME DOESN'T PROPERLY END, 'UNDERGROUND DEMON' WILL GO ON FOR ALL ETERNITY."
HOWEVER, SHE WAS UNABLE TO END THE GAME AS NEEDED,
AS THE DOLL HAD GOTTEN LOST ALL ON ITS OWN.
IT... JUST LEFT BY ITSELF...
AND THERE WERE SIGNS THAT SOMEONE HAD BEEN THERE...
...AND THE FEELING OF SOMEONE...
RUNNING RIGHT BEHIND ME EARLIER...
GOT STRONGER AND STRONGER...
AND... I GOT SCARED...
I-IF YUUKO-SAN WAS CAUGHT... SHE'LL PROBABLY BE KILLED...
BUT... I STABBED HER... AND KILLED HER..


THIS IS THE PARANORMAL INVESTIGATION'S CLUB... RIGHT?
DO YOU KNOW OF A WAY TO SOLVE THIS?
I REQUEST THAT YOU INVESTIGATE THIS!
WHAT?!
PLEASE DO IT!
PLEASE HELP ME WITH THIS!
ALTHOUGH I KNOW OF THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON" STORY, GOING AS FAR AS HAVING A SOLUTION FOR IT IS...
WELL,
UM..
WHO KNOWS ...?
IS THIS THE KIND OF CLUB ACTIVITIES YOU MEANT?
TAKING REQUESTS... AND INVESTIGATING THEM?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "WHO KNOWS"?! ISN'T THIS HER PROBLEM?! AGH, BUT ISN'T THIS CRUEL?
UM...
IS THERE SOMEONE ELSE HERE WITH US...?
HUH?!
OR COULD IT BE... YOU'RE TALKING TO THE GHOST YOU SUMMONED BEFORE IN YOUR SPIRITUALISM?!
AH, NO... THAT'S...
JUST TALKING TO MYSELF!
YOU SHOULD HAVE JUST TOLD HER.
You're horrible at lying.
?


AH! TO CONSULT THE PRESIDENT ON THIS...
I'LL TRY CALLING HER!
Cell Phone
HEY... HOW ABOUT THIS?
OH, I GET IT!
AHA HAH...
SHE'S A BIT OF A GHOST MEMBER,
SO SHE'S THE GHOST PRESIDENT.
AH... I SEE...
...I HAD BEEN CERTAIN YOU WERE THE PRESIDENT.
THAT'S EM-BARA-SSING.
HELLO, IS THIS THE CLUB PRESIDENT?
YES, INDEED, THIS IS THE GHOST PRESIDENT.
UGH...
ISN'T THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON" JUST FINE, AS IT'S A CLUE TO MY PAST?
WELL, THAT'S... TRUE, BUT...
ALL RIGHT, IT'S BEEN CONFIRMED,
BUT AREN'T YOU JUST IMAGINING THIS?


Y-YOU COULD SAY THAT... BUT...
THE DOLL REALLY WASN'T THERE...
IT WASN'T THERE...
THEY WERE... *PROBABLY LOOKING FOR ME!*
......
TO BE HONEST... I DON'T KNOW HOW WE CAN HELP THIS GIRL. SHE HAS ZERO CONFIDENCE.
I WONDER IF IT'S OKAY TO AGREE TO THIS SO READILY DESPITE THAT...
HMMM... SO MY PAST DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING, THEN... IS THAT RIGHT?
TH-THAT'S NOT REALLY WHAT I WAS SAYING!
YES, YES.
WELL, I'M GOING TO...
...DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS KID'S PROBLEM.



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HAVE A GOOD DAY THEN. IF THERE'S ANYTHING ELSE, DON'T HESITATE TO COME HERE.
AH, YES SIR. GIVE MY REGARDS TO THE PRESIDENT AS WELL.
WAS IT OKAY TO DO THAT?
WHY WOULDN'T IT BE? I MADE THAT CHARM MYSELF!
Charm
MADE IT YOURSELF... SO IT'S A FAKE?!
WELL, IT USED TO BE SAID THAT SICKNESS AND HEALTH START WITH THE MIND.
SO... CAN THAT HELP HER?
WHO KNOWS?
THAT'S GENERALLY WHAT YOU GET FOR GOING THROUGH WITH PLAYING STRANGE GAMES AFTER SCHOOL.
I ONLY GAVE HER THAT FOR GOOD LUCK.
IF NOTHING ELSE, SHE'LL HAVE A FRIGHTENING EXPERIENCE AND COME TO HER SENSES.
YOU'RE PRETTY COLD.
OBVIOUSLY, SINCE I'M ALREADY DEAD.


TEIICHI-KUN,
THERE IS NO CHANCE THAT DOLL JUST FELL OFF THE FACE OF THE EARTH ON ITS OWN.
THERE SHOULD BE SOMETHING THAT CAUSED THIS!
YUUKO-SAN...
HMM?
WHAT... IS *THAT?*


ちょーん。
...IT'S A DOLL.
Having looked as it is
IT HAS A KNIFE STUCK IN IT! THAT'S DEFINITELY THE DOLL THAT WAS USED IN THE RITUAL, ISN'T IT?!
WHAT'S IT DOING HERE?!
....
YEEAH ...
I PICKED IT UP DURING A WALK. IT WAS JUST SITTING ON A DESK IN A CLASSROOM.
IT HAD "YUUKO-SAN" WRITTEN ON IT, SO I COULDN'T JUST LEAVE IT THERE, YOU KNOW?
AAAA AAH!
SO IT'S YOUR FAULT THE RITUAL FAILED, ISN'T IT?!



WELL...
...THAT SEEMS TO BE THE CASE.
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....
SO...
THIS WAS INTENTIONAL, WASN'T IT?
HMM?
YOU KNEW THE TALE OF THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON".
SO YOU INTENTIONALLY KNEW SOMEONE WAS PERFORMING IT LIKE THAT.
THAT'S NOT IT.
IT WAS JUST WEIRD TO HAVE MY NAME ON IT.
...EVEN I FELT HURT BY IT.
SO... I DIDN'T JUST WANT TO BE A LITTLE MEAN WITH THIS...
INDEED, IT WORKED OUT LIKE THAT FOR YOU...
I'VE DONE A HORRIBLE THING...


......
CAN'T YOU HELP THAT GIRL...
...WITH HER PROBLEM?
......
WITH THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON"...
IN THE END, IT'S JUST A SELF-SUGGESTION.
A SELF-SUGGESTION?
An eerie ritual in a gloomy classroom at night...
Especially the type like that child saw...
There's a lot of tension if you hide yourself there in a cramped area, and you also get pretty anxious... You'll even see illusions.
"Underground Demon" is such a game.
SELF-SUGGESTION... SO A PERSON IS SO STRONGLY CONVINCED LIKE THAT...?
WELL, WE'RE AT PEACE FOR NOW. IF YOU BELIEVE THAT, THE HARM FROM JUST THE FEAR ESPECIALLY IS...


SUCH STRONG SUGGESTIONS DON'T WORK LIKE THAT.
AT THE MOMENT, SHE CAN *SEE* THAT IMAGINARY *SOMETHING*.
IF SHE CAN *SEE* IT,
THINGS LIKE *CATCHING* HER,
AND *KILLING* HER,
ARE THINGS YOU CAN'T SAY DON'T EXIST.
ARE YOU SERIOUS?!
IN THAT CASE,
IF WE DON'T QUICKLY TELL HER THAT IT'S JUST HER IMAGINATION...!
THAT WON'T WORK.
AS FAR AS SHE'S CONCERNED, HER REALITY IS THAT THE DOLL WASN'T THERE.
I WONDER IF IT'S SO EASY FOR OUTSIDERS TO SAY SOMETHING TO TWIST HER MIND BACK AROUND?
THE ILLUSION SHE FIRST SAW,
...WILL NOT DISAPPEAR UNTIL SHE "FORGETS" EVERY PART OF IT.
UNTIL THAT HAPPENS, SHE WILL CONTINUE TO BE HUNTED DOWN.
AT ANY RATE, AS THE RULES WERE BROKEN...
HMMM ...


IF WE CAN BEAT THAT "SOMETHING" ALL THE MORE, THEN THE GAME WILL FINISH WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO CHASE AFTER HER ANYMORE.
BUT THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN DO FOR THE DELUSIONAL PRODUCT OF THIS...
BEAT... IT?
HUH?!
THAT'S IT!
WE CAN DO IT...
THE GIRL WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO "STILL" SEE HER PROBLEM...!
ALL RIGHT, LET'S GET GOING THEN!
THE GIRL IS PROBABLY STILL IN THE SCHOOL!
HUH?
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO...
FUFU...
APPARITION EXTERMI-NATION.


IF I HAVE THIS CHARM...
I'LL BE JUST FINE...
I'LL BE OKAY...
AH...
ぽろ
OH NO...
THE CHARM...
EH...
THIS IS...
THERE'S PRINTING ON THE BACK...?


NO...
THE CHARM DOESN'T ...
WORK AT ALL!
OKO NOGI -SAN!!


YOU OKAY?!
OKO-NOGI-SAN?!
EH?!
AH...
YES!
RUN FOR IT!


THE THING CHASING US... IT'S "THAT" WITHOUT A DOUBT, ISN'T IT?
YES...
THAT THING...
IS YOUR LOST DOLL!
THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON" RITUAL WAS CLOSE BY TO THE EVIL DEMON CALLED UPON IN A RITUAL...
YOUR DOLL WAS POSSESSED BY IT!
SO IN ORDER TO DISPEL THE RE-SENTMENT,
WE MUST KILL THE RE-SENTMENT SO INTERESTED IN CHASING AFTER YOU!
BUT THAT'S...
I'M SO SORRY!
I'M SORRY!
SO...
THIS WAY!
HYAAA!
くるっ


THIS IS...
...TO CLEANSE THAT EVIL SPIRIT.
ぴっ
IT'S THE MOST APPRECIATED GENUINE ARTICLE!
AH!
NIIYA-SAN!
......
HERE IT COMES!





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UM...
IS THIS YOUR DOLL?
!!
AH...
YES!


THE EVIL SPIRIT'S COMPLETELY GONE, SO IT'S FINE NOW.
I HAVE TO FINISH UP SOME THINGS, SO WHY DON'T YOU TAKE A BREAK AND COME BACK TOMORROW?
Y-YES SIR!
I UNDER-STAND!
THANK YOU...
...SO VERY MUCH!
......
HMM...
ズズッ...


SO...
...HOW WAS MY FINE PERFORMANCE?
YUUKO-SAN...
NOTHING... JUST, ALTHOUGH I'M USUALLY THE ONLY ONE WHO'S ABLE TO SEE YOU,
IT SEEMED AS IF OKONOGI-SAN COULD SEE YOU IN A DIFFERENT FORM... IT'S A BIT STRANGE, HONESTLY.


FOR A PERSON WHO SEEMS TO BE AFRAID OF IMAGINARY THINGS,
SHE WOULD SEE AN EXISTENCE LIKE ME AS SHE WANTED.
AS SHE THOUGHT THAT TERRIBLE "SOMETHING" WAS THERE,
SHE COULD SEE ME THERE AS A MONSTER.
IF SHE THOUGHT IT AS BEING SO SCARY,
THEN IT JUST COMES DOWN TO HER IMAGINING SCARY GHOSTS AND SUCH.
SO IT SEEMS.
AFTER ALL, I'M JUST IMAGINED, TOO... AREN'T I...
HUH?
NO...IT'S NOTHING.


AND IN ADDITION,
WE YET AGAIN TRICKED SOMEONE WITH A FAKE.
ピクッ
AHH...
KYAAAAAAAA!
I DON'T REALLY MIND THAT.


YOU SECRETLY WANTED TO TOUCH ME, DIDN'T YOU?
くるんっ
UH... BUT THAT'S...
I'M VERY SORRY.
WELL THEN,
GET ON BACK ALREADY!
W-WA!
どーん
LET'S GO, LET'S GO!
FUFU~ ♡


AHHH...
IN THE END, I DIDN'T REALLY UNDERSTAND HOW I RELATED WITH THE "UNDERGROUND DEMON" GAME.
BUT...WHEN AM I GOING TO FOLLOW UP ON SUCH STRANGE RUMORS...?
MAYBE THAT'S MY LITTLE SECRET TO KNOW AS WELL.
HUH?
...YOU'RE RIGHT.



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UM...
ズズズズ
AH!
OKONOGI-SAN!
HELLO...
SO, HOW WAS IT?
THERE HASN'T BEEN ANYTHING...
...IN PARTICULAR SINCE THEN, HAS THERE?
ガガッ
AH, NO...!
I CAME TO THANK YOU.
THERE HASN'T BEEN ANYTHING SINCE THAT STRANGE STUFF BEFORE...
THAT THE MONSTER WAS EXTERMINATED IS ALL THANKS TO YOU!
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UM...
YOU WERE SO...
SO...
AMAZING!


AHHH, N-NO, THAT'S JUST BECAUSE THE PRESIDENT HELPED ME OUT! AHAHAH!
WELL,
AH...
SHE IS JUST THE GHOST PRESIDENT!
HA...
HAHA HAHA HAH!
WHOA!
HUH...
......
...??
WHA... YUUKO-SAN?
I'M ONLY A GHOST, AFTER ALL.


二ノ怪 夕子さん
FIRST MYSTERY: YUUKO


SEIKYOU PRIVATE ACADEMY BUILT ATOP A HILL OVER SIXTY YEARS AGO, IT IS AN INSTITUTION WITH A LOT OF HISTORY BEHIND IT
THE TOWERING SCHOOL BUILDINGS CAST A DEEP SHADOW AS IF TRYING TO HIDE SOMETHING AWAY... AND THUS, MANY GHOST STORIES WERE BORN HERE


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YUUKO-SAN, WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
AH!

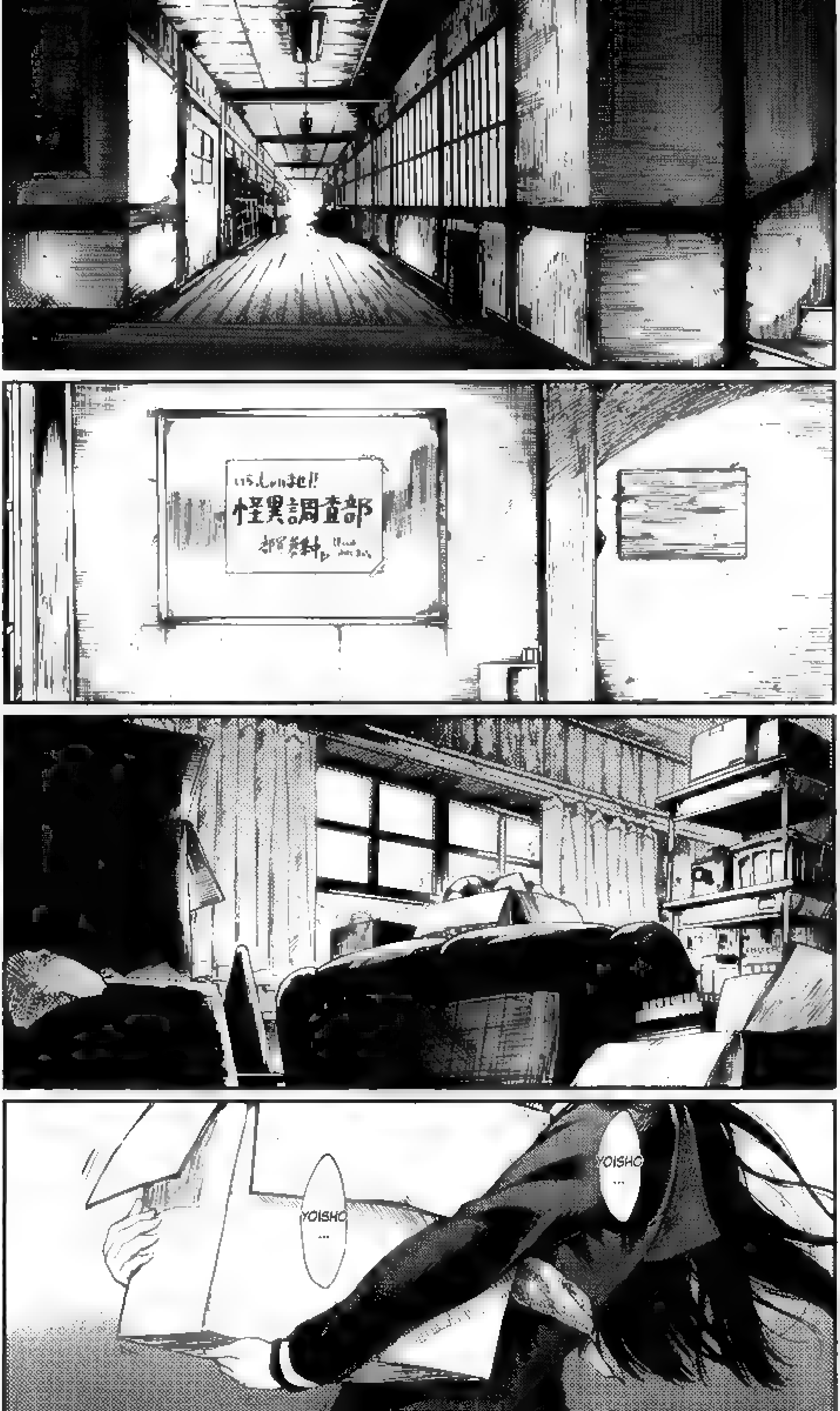

SFX: CRASH!
I'LL GO TAKE A LOOK TO SEE WHAT'S HAPPENED
YOU GUYS JUST SIT HERE QUIETLY


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キーンコーンカーンコーーン
IT MUST'VE BEEN A POLTERGEIST!


YOU SAW WHAT HAPPENED EARLIER, RIGHT?
EH?
EVERYONE THOUGHT THEY HEARD A NOISE IN THE HALLWAY BUT ONLY FOUND A BOX
THAT MUST HAVE BEEN A POLTERGEIST!
STUFF JUST DOESN'T MOVE AROUND ON ITS OWN, AFTERALL...
WELL... I WASN'T REALLY LOOKING... COULDN'T IT HAVE BEEN SOMEONE PLAYING A PRANK?
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THAT
HAVEN'T YOU HEARD THAT RUMOR THAT'S BEEN GOING AROUND?
A RUMOR... ABOUT A POLTERGEIST?
YEAH


IT SEEMS THAT WE'VE GOT ONE IN THIS SCHOOL...
I'VE HEARD IT FROM OTHER PEOPLE TOO
?
THERE WAS ONE CLASSROOM THAT WAS TOTALLY MESSED UP
APPARENTLY A GIRL'S SPIRIT GOES WILD AFTER SCHOOL WHEN NO ONE'S AROUND
THE STORY GOES THAT THERE WAS AN ACCIDENT
A GIRL DIED OF MERCURY POISONING DURING A SCIENCE EXPERIMENT
SHE DIED A SLOW AND PAINFUL DEATH AND EVEN NOW CRIES OUT FOR HELP...


AREN'T YOU INTERESTED IN THIS KIND OF STUFF, NIIYA?
I'VE HEARD THAT YOU'RE IN THAT UHH...
OH RIGHT
THE PARA-NORMAL INVESTI-GATIONS CLUB!
IT SEEMS KIND OF INTERESTING SO WHY DON'T YOU CHECK IT OUT?
BUT EVEN IF I DO INVESTIGATE THIS...
SO YOU ALREADY KNOW WHAT THE CAUSE OF ALL THIS IS?
OOH! AS EXPECTED OF A PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB MEMBER!
I'M NOT ENTIRELY SURE BUT...
WELL ...
I GUESS I'LL LOOK INTO IT...



WELCOME TO THE PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB!
RECRUITING MEMBERS <3 FOR MORE DETAILS, INQUIRE WITHIN!


PHEW!
YUUKO-SAN
THE ROOM WAS KINDA BORING ...
SO I THOUGHT I SHOULD MAKE THE PLACE A LITTLE LIVELIER!


RECENTLY, SOMEONE'S BEEN MESSING UP THE CLASSROOMS...
OH MY, HOW DREAD-FUL
I GUESS EVEN THIS SCHOOL HAS THOSE SORTS OF DELINQUENTS AS WELL...
JUST WHAT SORTS OF DELINQUENTS COULD YOU BE THINKING OF?
Kinda like this?
WHAT? YOU MEAN THEY'RE NOT AROUND ANYMORE?
THERE'S A RUMOR GOING AROUND
THEY'RE SAYING IT'S A POLTER-GEIST!
SO WHAT?
SO
ERR ...
ARE YOU IMPLYING THAT I DID ALL OF THIS?
ARE YOU IMPLYING THAT YOU DIDN'T?


YOU KNOW, TEIICHI-KUN...
EVEN IF I AM A GHOST
IT DOESN'T MEAN YOU SHOULD DOUBT ME!
EVIDENCE
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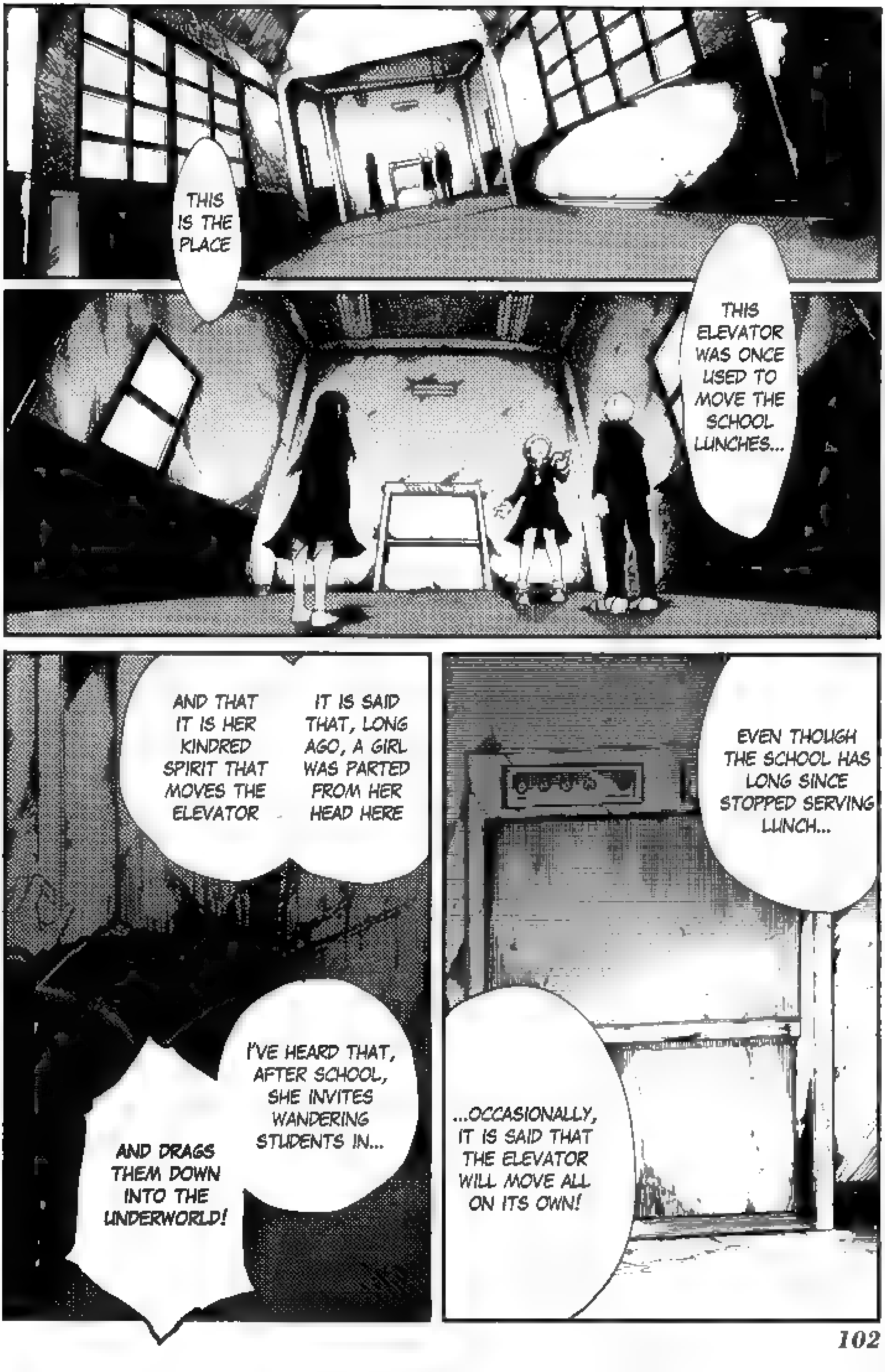


SIGN: YOU'LL BE CURSED IF YOU OPEN THIS!!



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WAH !!
AH!
OKO-NOGI-SAN !?
HUH? IT'S ONLY NIIYA-SAN... IS THE CLUB PRESIDENT NOT HERE TODAY AS WELL?
おっと…
THAT'S ODD... I SWEAR I HEARD SOMEONE ELSE TALKING...
THE CLUB PRESIDENT ISN'T AROUND A LOT, HUH?
UMM... OTHER THAN THAT, DO YOU NEED SOMETHING?
COULD IT BE YOU'VE DONE SOMETHING DANGEROUS AGAIN...
AH!


WELL ...
IT'S NOT THAT I HAVE ANYTHING I NEED HELP WITH BUT...
I WAS KINDA JUST WONDERING IF YOU WERE HERE TODAY...
...EH?
OH! UMM... COULD IT BE THAT YOU WERE JUST ABOUT TO LEAVE?
はっ
TH-THAT'S RIGHT, OKONOGI-SAN HAVE YOU HEARD THE RUMORS OF A POLTERGEIST?
POLTER ...?
AS I WOULD EXPECT OF A SCHOOL WITH SUCH A LENGTHY HISTORY
THERE'S BOUND TO BE TONS OF RUMORS LIKE THIS...
AH!
YES! YES, I HAVE!
I'VE GATHERED UP A WHOLE BUNCH OF THEM!
THE SCARY RUMORS OF THIS SCHOOL!
AND STORIES ABOUT POLTERGEISTS
WERE AMONG THEM!


THIS IS THE PLACE
THIS ELEVATOR WAS ONCE USED TO MOVE THE SCHOOL LUNCHES...
EVEN THOUGH THE SCHOOL HAS LONG SINCE STOPPED SERVING LUNCH...
...OCCASIONALLY, IT IS SAID THAT THE ELEVATOR WILL MOVE ALL ON ITS OWN!
IT IS SAID THAT, LONG AGO, A GIRL WAS PARTED FROM HER HEAD HERE
AND THAT IT IS HER KINDRED SPIRIT THAT MOVES THE ELEVATOR
I'VE HEARD THAT, AFTER SCHOOL, SHE INVITES WANDERING STUDENTS IN...
AND DRAGS THEM DOWN INTO THE UNDERWORLD!


It is called ...
The elevator of malice !!
DING! DING! DING!
Isn't it just a normal elevator?
. . . . .
WHIRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRR
!!!!!!!
!!
DING
!



NIIYA-SAN... TH-TH-TH-THIS IS...
RIGHT NOW WE MUST BE EXPERIENCING IT FIRSTHAND!!
WELL... I SUPPOSE THE RUMORS WERE TRUE...
YET NOT ENTIRELY CORRECT AS WELL ...?


NIIYA -SAN!!
AAH!
BLEEH
NIIYA -SAN IS...
AAA AAH!!
AH...
DON'T TELL ME, YOU'RE THE ONE BEHIND ALL THIS...


IT'S CONVENIENT SO I USE IT.
BUT STILL... BRINGING OTHER PEOPLE IN HERE WITH YOU?
YOU'RE THE FIRST ONE I'VE EVER BEEN IN HERE WITH
AN ELEVATOR THAT DRAGS PEOPLE TO THE UNDERWORLD... HOW DRAMATIC
PEOPLE USUALLY CAN'T SEE ME EITHER WAY, RIGHT?
BUT STILL... THIS IS...
IT'S CRAMPED WITH TWO PEOPLE...
YEAH...
HEY... DON'T JUST GO SILENT ON ME
O-OH! SORRY!


NIIYA -SAN!
AH.
YOU'VE GONE AND EXPERIENCED THE PHENOMENA FOR YOURSELF!
HOW DARING! YOU'RE SO BRAVE!
SO? HOW DID IT FEEL?
WHAT DID YOU THINK!?
EHH !?
WHAT DEDICATION! HOW INSPIRING!
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WOW... WHO WOULD'VE THOUGHT ...
FOR A PARANORMAL PHENOMENA LIKE THIS TO HAVE HAPPENED SO CLOSE TO ME...
MAYBE IT WAS EVEN CAUSED BY THE POLTERGEIST!
YEAH ...
WELL ...
IT WASN'T REALLY WHAT I WAS EXPECTING THOUGH...
I'VE BEEN THINKING...
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MAYBE THIS HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH "YUUKO-SAN"
EH !?
TRYING TO HIDE
WH-
WHY WOULD YOU SAY THAT?
IT CAN'T BE...


WELL, IT'S JUST THAT A LOT OF THIS SCHOOL'S MYSTERIES HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH "YUUKO-SAN"
LIKE WITH THE "HIDDEN DEMON" INCIDENT FROM LAST TIME
SO I WAS JUST WONDERING IF THAT WERE THE CASE HERE
WELL... I WONDER ABOUT THAT
BUT IT'S NOT REALLY FAIR TO ATTRIBUTE EVERYTHING TO YUUKO-SAN...
...IN MY OPINION
HMM...
AH, THAT'S RIGHT!
RECENTLY I'VE HEARD SOME THINGS ABOUT THIS "YUUKO-SAN"
IT SEEMS THAT, ON THE HILL BEHIND THE SCHOOL...
YOU CAN FIND A GRAVE MADE FOR "YUUKO-SAN"!!


IT'S AT THE HIGHEST POINT OF THE SCHOOL...
CLOSE TO THE SCHOOL CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE
THROUGH THE WOODS IN A PLACE CALLED "KAEDE HILL"
THERE YOU WILL FIND A GRAVE


THERE'S A NAME CARVED ON THAT GRAVE...
AND THAT NAME IS "YUUKO"
I'VE NOTICED THAT, IN THIS SCHOOL,
THE NAME "YUUKO" COMES UP A LOT
THAT'S WHY
I WAS WONDERING IF IT WAS THE GRAVE OF THE "YUUKO-SAN" IN THE STORIES


NOTHING COMES TO MIND...
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE BEEN BY THIS PLACE...
THIS IS KIND OF CREEPY ...
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HERE!
THIS IS IT!!


YOU'RE RIGHT
IT DOES HAVE "YUUKO" WRITTEN ON IT...
GRAVE: "YUUKO"
I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS PLACE...
AFTER ALL...
MY REAL BODY...
IS STILL IN THAT PLACE UNDER THE CLUB ROOM...
呪う!!
THAT'S TRUE...
SO THIS IS...


I DON'T THINK THAT "YUUKO-SAN'S" BODY IS BURIED HERE...
AH IT'S JUST...
NIIYA -SAN?
YEAH... YOU'RE PROBABLY RIGHT, HUH...
BUT ...
IF "YUUKO -SAN" DID ONCE GO TO THIS SCHOOL
THEN MAYBE THE ONE WHO BUILT THIS GRAVE STILL THINKS OF HER TO THIS DAY...
EVEN IF IT'S A SCARY STORY NOW, SHE WASN'T JUST A RUMOR, IF SHE REALLY DID EXIST A LONG TIME AGO...
THEN THAT'D BE SO ROMANTIC!


HMPH
KYA AAA AAA AAA AAA!!?
THE GRAVE F-F-FELL OVER!?
OKONOGI-SAN, CALM DOWN! I KICKED IT OVER ON ACCIDENT...
I SAW IT CLEARLY! THE GRAVE FELL OVER BY ITSELF!!
NO YOU DIDN'T! YOU DIDN'T DO ANYTHING!!
TEIICHI-KUN, COME OVER HERE FOR A SECOND


It's pretty isn't it?
Yeah...
I know I said I've never been by this place just now but...
It seems that I may have been here before


I'M SORRY...
I'M SORRY...
?
GO BACK AND FIX UP THE GRAVE.
AH
RIGHT!
NIIYA-SAN LOOK AT THIS...
?
THIS IS... A COMB?


ONE OF SEIKYOU ACADEMY'S MYSTERIES,
YUUKO-SAN.
YUUKO-SAN ...
A GHOST WHO HAS LOST ALL MEMORY OF HER PAST LIFE
OF ALL OF THE RUMORS IN THIS ACADEMY
MOST ARE LINKED TO THIS GIRL.
PERHAPS BY FOLLOWING THOSE RUMORS ...
WE COULD UNCOVER HER PAST
MAYBE THEN, WE WOULD KNOW WHY YUUKO-SAN HAS BEEN TRAPPED IN THIS PLACE.


THAT'S WHAT I BELIEVE
THIS SCHOOL IS GREAT!
JUST TODAY WE'VE WITNESSED SO MANY STRANGE PHENOMENA!
HAHA...
THAT'S BECAUSE THE SOURCE OF THOSE PHENOMENA HAS BEEN FOLLOWING US AROUND ALL DAY...
YUUKO-SAN?
THIS PLACE ...
GIVES ME A BAD FEELING...
EHH ...?


TEIICHI-KUN...
WATCH OUT!!


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COULD IT BE!?
IT'S A POLTERGEIST!!
AH!




"AFTER SCHOOL, IN AN EMPTY CLASSROOM"
"THE SPIRIT OF A GIRL"
"RUNS WILD"



二ノ怪
放課後のクイックシルバー
SECOND MYSTERY: AFTERSCHOOL QUICKSILVER




AFTERSCHOOL, IN AN EMPTY CLASSROOM
THE SPIRIT OF A GIRL...
RUNS WILD
THAT'S THE ...
GIRL'S SPIRIT !?


NIIYA-SAN THAT PERSON IS...
WAIT ...
THIS GIRL ...!
I'M SURE OF IT
SHE'S FROM OUR CLASS!


THANK GOOD-NESS
YOSHI-ZAWA-SAN?
WHAT HAPPENED HERE?
AH ...
EH ..?
!!
I DON'T KNOW ...
I ...


I DON'T ...
I DON'T KNOW !!
WHAT ... IS THIS ?!
I CAN'T... REMEMBER ANYTHING!!
OI ...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
AH ... THEY GOT CAUGHT ...


YUUKO-SAN!
GOOD MORNING, TEIICHI-KUN
YOU HAVE TO CHANGE CLASSROOMS DON'T YOU?

SIGN: CLASS 1-C WILL BE TEMPORARILY MOVED TO E BLOCK ROOM 303




WHO WOULD'VE THOUGHT THAT IT'D APPEAR RIGHT AFTER WE TALKED ABOUT IT YESTERDAY
YOU STAYED BEHIND SCHOOL YESTERDAY, RIGHT NIIYA?
FOR YOUR PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB!
DID YOU COME ACROSS ANYTHING SUSPICIOUS?
YEAH .....
ACTUALLY YESTERDAY I SAW IT...
YOU SAW IT?
ALTHOUGH, I ONLY SAW THE CLASSROOM AFTER IT WAS TRASHED...
I SEE ...
BUT THE THING IS... YOSHIZAWA-SAN, FROM OUR CLASS,
WAS IN THE CLASS-ROOM...
OH YEAH... I KNOW HER. WE WENT TO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TOGETHER
SPEAKING OF WHICH, WHERE IS SHE TODAY..?


SHE DIDN'T COME TO SCHOOL TODAY ...
HEY, DID YOU HEAR?
SEEMS LIKE THE CLASS-ROOMS BEING TRASHED
!!
WASN'T BECAUSE OF A SPIRIT AFTER ALL!
AND APPARENTLY YOSHIZAWA ISN'T SICK TODAY. SHE'S ACTUALLY SUSPENDED FROM SCHOOL!
DOES THAT MEAN...
YOSHIZAWA IS THE ONE WHO TRASHED THE CLASSROOMS!?
AFTER I FOUND HER, THE TEACHER SAW US... I TOLD HIM WHAT I SAW BUT YOSHIZAWA COULDN'T REMEMBER ANYTHING...
SEEMS LIKE THE TEACHER DIDN'T BELIEVE HER ...
HER BEING SICK TODAY IS TOO MUCH OF A COINCIDENCE!
AND I THOUGHT SHE WAS THE QUIET, WELL-BEHAVED TYPE ...
I DON'T THINK SHE HAS ANY FRIENDS
THAT'S KIND OF SCARY


YOU'RE WRONG.
I'VE DEFINITELY SEEN SOMETHING LIKE THAT BEFORE...
A SPIRIT THAT RUNS WILD IN THE SCIENCE LABS AFTER SCHOOL
I'VE...I'VE SEEN THE POLTERGEIST BEFORE!
HAVEN'T I ALREADY TOLD YOU GUYS..? THERE'S A SPIRIT THAT GOES AROUND TRASHING THE CLASSROOMS
THAT'S WHY THIS HAS GOT TO BE THE SAME THING...
THERE'S DEFINITELY SOMETHING GOING ON IN THIS SCHOOL
YOSHIZAWA WAS ONLY DRAGGED INTO THIS BY THAT SPIRIT...


SO, YOSHIZAWA -SAN WASN'T TOLD TO STAY AT HOME TODAY?
NO WAY ...
YOU'RE KIDDING, RIGHT?
...ISN'T THAT RIGHT... NIIYA?
ALL OF YOU
GET BACK IN YOUR SEATS!



...WHICH MEANS
WE'LL BE IN THIS CLASSROOM FOR A LITTLE WHILE
WHAT A SCARY EXPRESSION
ARE YOU SCARED ...
EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE ALWAYS WITH A GHOST?
T-THAT'S...
ANYONE WOULD LOOK LIKE THIS...
A GHOST STORY HAS SUDDENLY BECOME A REALITY, AFTER ALL


A STUDENT WHO DIED OF MERCURY POISONING, BUT THEIR SPIRIT STILL RUNS WILD AND TRASHES CLASSROOMS...
THAT MEANS THERE MIGHT BE ANOTHER SPIRIT APART FROM YOU IN THIS SCHOOL...
......
I WONDER ABOUT THAT...
HEY TEIICHI-KUN ...
HE SAID HE SAW IT TOO...
BUT WHAT EXACTLY DID YOU SEE?
......?


吉沢
YOSHIZAWA
HARUKA DID THAT TO A CLASS-ROOM?
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHAT'S WRONG WITH HER?
NO ... SHE'S USUALLY FINE...


WHAT ...
HAPPENED TO ME..?
THAT GHOST STORY ...
IT'S LIKE THE SAME THING IS HAPPENING TO ME
HAVE I BEEN POSSESSED..?
I DON'T WANT THIS
YUUTO-KUN ...

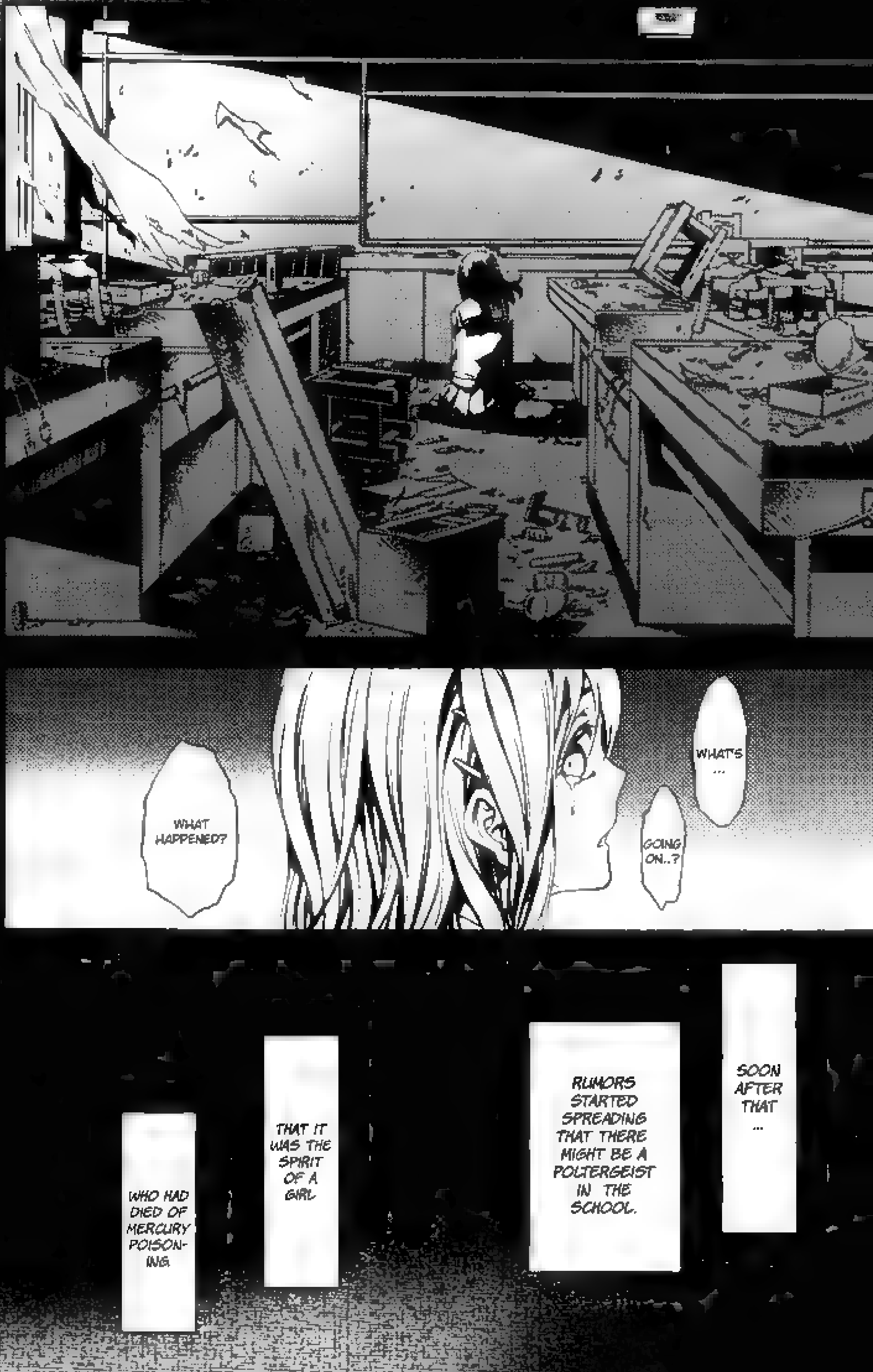

SEIKYOU MIDDLE SCHOOL
ENTRANCE CEREMONY
MIDDLE SCHOOL ... GUESS I'LL BE ALONE FROM NOW ON ...
WELL IT IS PRIVATE AFTER ALL ...
HEY HARUKA!
EH..?
YUUTO-KUN!?
TRUTH IS, I APPLIED HERE AS WELL
DIDN'T THINK THAT THEY'D ACTUALLY TAKE ME THOUGH...
I SEE ...
THAT'S GREAT!
THIS PLACE LOOKS LIKE IT'S GOING TO BE A LOT OF FUN!
YEAH!


HEY, ABOUT THAT GIRL... YOSHIZAWA-SAN?
ISN'T SHE ALWAYS BY HERSELF ...?
SHE'S KIND OF GLOOMY ...
I WONDER ...
HOW YOU MAKE FRIENDS ...
YUUTO-KUN
THIS PLACE ISN'T FUN AT ALL ...
AAAH ...
YUUTO-KUN!


AAAH ...
I HAVE TO GET TO MY CLUB ...
SORRY YOSHIZAWA ...



TN: APPARENTLY THIS IS PART OF POLTERGEIST MYTH... QUICKSILVER IS ALSO A NAME FOR THE ELEMENT MERCURY


WHAT'S...
GOING ON..?
WHAT HAPPENED?
SOON AFTER THAT...
RUMORS STARTED SPREADING THAT THERE MIGHT BE A POLTERGEIST IN THE SCHOOL.
THAT IT WAS THE SPIRIT OF A GIRL
WHO HAD DIED OF MERCURY POISON-ING.


THEN YESTERDAY ...
ONCE AGAIN ...
WHEN I CAME TO ...
EVERY-THING AROUND ME WAS BROKEN ...
....
TOMORROW I'LL TALK TO YUUTO-KUN AGAIN ...
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE GHOST STORY OR WHAT THE TEACHERS HAVE BEEN SAYING ...
I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING...
I JUST WANT TO ...
TALK ABOUT IT WITH HIM ...

SIGN: WELCOME TO THE PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB!! RECRUITING MEMBERS <3 FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT ME




AH! IT'S ALREADY THIS LATE!?
I HAVE TO GET GOING!
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LATELY I'VE BEEN GOING HOME LATE AND MOTHER HAS BEEN LECTURING ME...
MOTHER?
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BYE, NIIYA-SAN
I'LL COME BY AGAIN!
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SHE SEEMS BUSY AS USUAL ...
TELE-KINESIS ...
WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THIS YUUKO-SAN?


WHAT DO YOU MEAN? DID YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVE WHAT SHE SAID?
WELL, IF YOU PUT IT THAT WAY... THEN NO, I DON'T FEEL LIKE THAT'S WHAT REALLY HAPPENED...
TEIICHI-KUN... WHAT DID YOU SEE?
EH?!
TELE-KINESIS?
A SPIRIT TRASHING THE CLASSROOM?
YOU SHOULD JUST BELIEVE WHAT YOU SAW ...
WHAT I SAW WAS... A TRASHED CLASSROOM AND A GIRL ...
THEN WHAT'S THE EASIEST EXPLANATION?
THAT ...
WOULD BE ...
BUT ...


WHY DO PEOPLE THINK IT'S THE WORK OF A SPIRIT IN THE FIRST PLACE?
THAT'S BECAUSE OF THE RUMOURS ...
YUUTO SAID DIDN'T HE?
HE SAW A SPIRIT TRASHING THE CLASS-ROOMS...
THAT'S WHAT HE SAID...
THAT'S WHY!
TEIICHI-KUN ..
EH? THEN ...
THERE ARE DEFINITELY NO SPIRITS IN THIS SCHOOL ...
APART FROM ME THAT IS ...
I'M A SPIRIT MYSELF SO BELIEVE ME ON THIS.
HE'S LYING ...
IF THERE WAS NEVER A SPIRIT THAT TRASHED CLASS-ROOMS IN THE FIRST PLACE ...
THEN THE ONE THAT TRASHED THE CLASSROOMS IS...
BUT YOSHIZAWA-SAN SAID SHE DOESN'T REMEMBER ANYTHING!
SHE REALLY DIDN'T LOOK LIKE SHE WAS LYING ...


IT'S ONLY THAT SHE DOESN'T REMEMBER.
REALLY ...
SHE WAS JUST LETTING GO OF SOME PAINFUL MEMO-RIES THAT SHE COULDN'T BEAR ANYMORE.
IF SHE FORGETS THEN, TO HER, NOTHING WOULD HAVE CHANGED AND EVERYTHING WOULD BE ALRIGHT...
AND ONCE SHE REALISES THAT THINGS HAVE CHANGED SHE WILL START TO SUFFER AGAIN...
IF SHE COMES BACK TO SCHOOL ...
I'M PRETTY SURE THE CLASSROOM TRASHINGS WILL START AGAIN.


SHOULD YOU TELL HER THE TRUTH?
IF YOU DID I DON'T THINK SHE WOULD BE ABLE TO TAKE IT...
NOTHING GOOD WOULD COME FROM HER TELLING HER...
BUT I DO ...
WANT TO DO SOMETHING FOR HER ...
LOSING YOUR MEMORIES AND BEING BY YOURSELF .....
IT'S LONELY


SO SHE CAME TODAY ...
THAT GIRL ...
YEAH ...
AH
YUUTO ...


HEY ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED ...
IT'S BECAUSE OF THE POLTERGEIST ... BECAUSE OF THE SPIRIT RIGHT?
EVERYONE KNOWS THAT ...
ISN'T THAT GREAT..?


TEIICHI-KUN ... THIS TIME I HAVE A REQUEST
CAN YOU HELP ME OUT FOR A BIT? FOR HER SAKE...
WHAT'S THIS THING YOU HAVE TO SHOW ME NIIYA?
I REALLY HAVE TO GO HOME NOW
I SAW IT
THE POLTER-GEIST
......
WH- ... WHAT ..?


THE CLASS-ROOM ..?
!!
GO SEE ...
FOR YOUR-SELF ...


YUU ... TO ...
KUN ..?
...AH
IT'S ME ...
AGAIN ..?
NO! I DON'T WANT THIS ANY-MORE!
YOSHI-ZAWA... YOU...
YUUTO -KUN ...
THIS IS!!



I... WAS TOO SCARED TO LISTEN TO WHAT YOU HAD TO SAY...
WHEN I SAW YOU AT THE SCIENCE LAB...
THE PERSON TRASHING THE CLASS-ROOM ...
THAT WAS DEFINITELY YOU
I WANTED TO BELIEVE THAT IT WASN'T YOU...
THAT WHAT I SAW WAS A GHOST...
BUT ...


YOSHI-
ZAWA
...
IT REALLY WAS YOU AFTER ALL


YOSHI-
ZAWA...
WHAT...
IS THAT?
EH
..?
WHAT'S
...
GOING
ON?
KYAAAA!!


WHAT WAS THAT JUST THEN?
YOSHI-ZAWA!?
I DON'T KNOW !!
I REALLY DON'T KNOW ...
EVERYTIME I COME INTO THE CLASS-ROOM, IT'S BEEN WRECKED!
I DON'T KNOW
WHAT'S GOING ON !!
I JUST ...
DON'T KNOW... IT'S SCARY ...
SO... THIS IS ITS TRUE FORM...
THE POLTER-GEIST


HAHA ...
THIS IS PRETTY SCARY ...
I'M SORRY FOR NOT BELIEVING IN YOU, HARUKA


OH MY... HAVE I BEEN EXPOSED ALREADY?
HOW DULL ...


WELL I GUESS THIS IS THE END ...
IT'S... GONE?
IT... REALLY WAS... A GHOST


PHEW...
THAT'S EVERY-THING
THANKS FOR HELPING OUT...
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!
IF I DON'T DO AT LEAST THIS MUCH
SHE MIGHT BE FRAMED AGAIN, RIGHT?
EVEN THOUGH IT WAS ACTUALLY BECAUSE OF THE SPIRIT!
YEAH, I GUESS SO...
WELL I'M GOING HOME NOW SO
SEE YOU LATER!
UMM...
YUUTO-KUN!

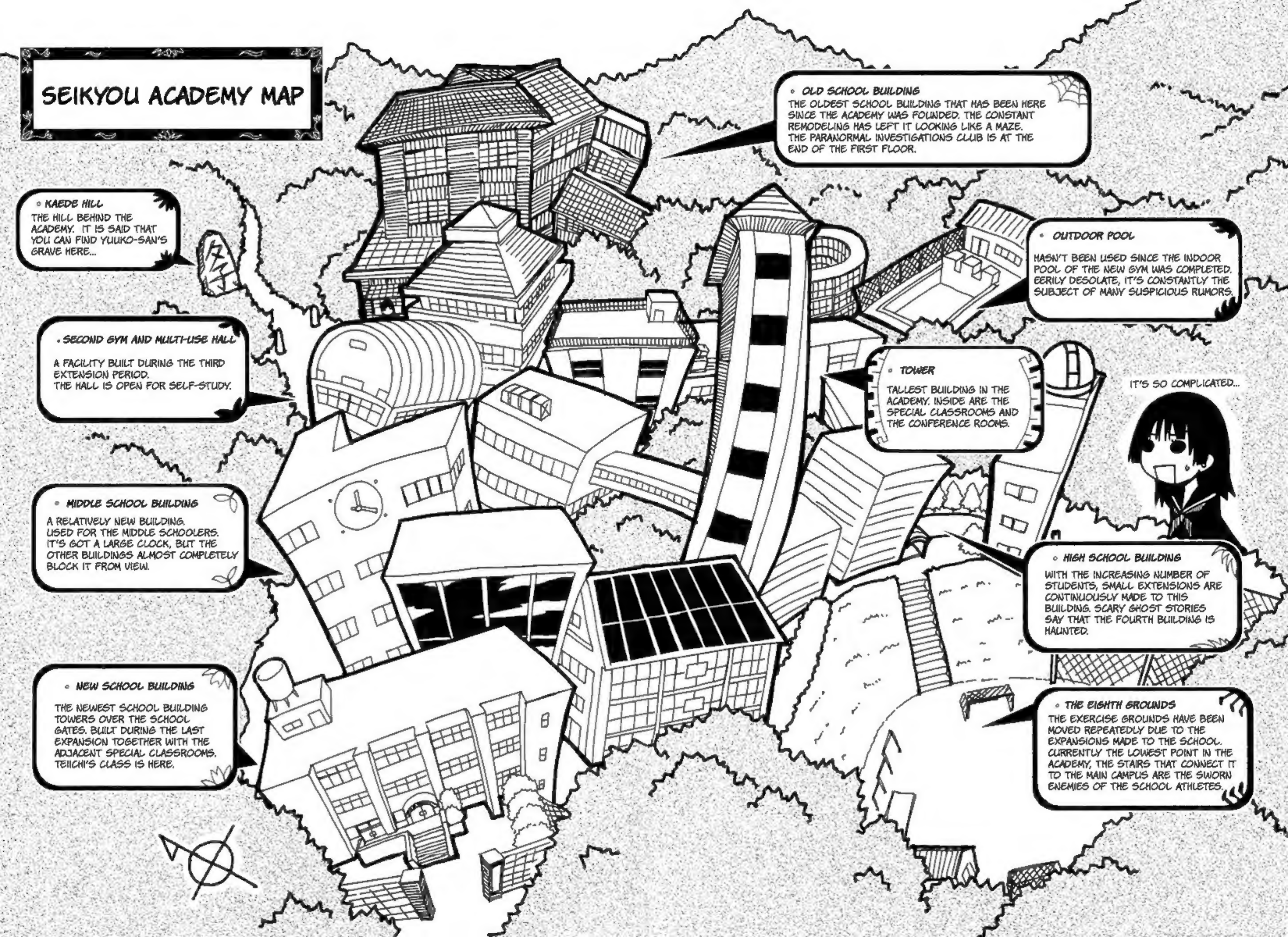

UMM... YUUTO -KUN
C-CAN WE GO HOME... T-TOGETHER TODAY?
YEAH, SURE!
WE DO LIVE IN THE SAME DIRECTION AFTER ALL
... AH!
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT... WE ALWAYS GO HOME AT DIFFERENT TIMES
EH?
Y-YEAH!
TODAY WILL BE THE FIRST TIME WE'VE GONE HOME TOGETHER!
WELL THEN,
SEE YOU TOMORROW, NIIYA!

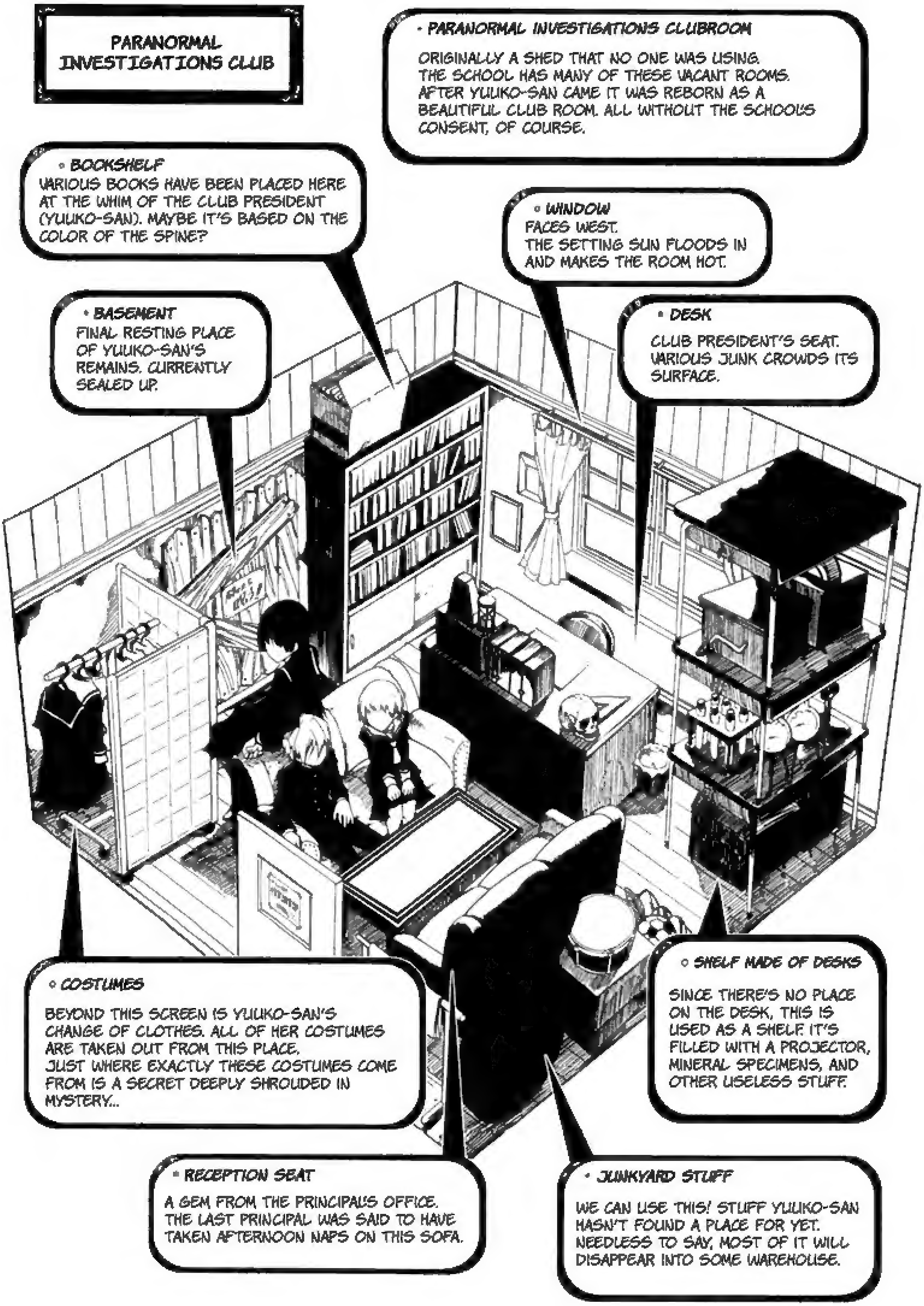

WILL IT BE ALRIGHT..? LEAVING THINGS LIKE THIS?
HONESTLY... IT FEELS LIKE WE JUST HID EVERYTHING BENEATH A LIE
IT'S FINE
FOR NOW
THAT GIRL FORGOT IT ALL TO PROTECT HER HEART
THAT BOY BELIEVED MORE IN THE STORY RATHER THAN IN HIMSELF
...THE REALITY WAS JUST TOO MUCH TO BEAR
SO MUCH SO THAT THEY'D BE CRUSHED IF THEY DIDN'T RUN FROM IT
THAT'S WHY THEY SAW ME...
BECAUSE BOTH OF THEM STRONGLY WISHED THAT "SOMETHING" WAS THERE...


BUT ...
THEN WON'T THIS JUST HAPPEN AGAIN?
WE DIDN'T REALLY SAVE YOSHIZAWA -SAN...
...WHAT THAT GIRL NEEDED...
WASN'T TO BREAK THINGS TO DISTRACT HERSELF FROM HER LONELINESS
NOR WAS IT TO FIND SOMETHING TO BLAME IT ALL ON
SHE JUST
NEEDED SOMEONE WHO WOULD ACCEPT HER THE WAY SHE IS
THAT'S ALL...


?
THAT'S WHY I SAID IT'S FINE FOR NOW
ONE DAY, THOSE TWO WILL SURELY...
YUUTO-KUN... WHY HAVE YOU BEEN USING MY FIRST NAME RECENTLY..?
WHY..? WELL, FOR SOME REASON IT FEELS KINDA AWKWARD IF I DON'T
...SURELY
THAT DAY WILL SURELY COME...
IS THAT IT..?
ARE YOU SURE?
YES I'M SURE!
THE DAY WHEN THEY'LL FINALLY BE ABLE TO FIND THE TRUTH
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SEIKYOU ACADEMY MAP
OLD SCHOOL BUILDING
THE OLDEST SCHOOL BUILDING THAT HAS BEEN HERE SINCE THE ACADEMY WAS FOUNDED. THE CONSTANT REMODELING HAS LEFT IT LOOKING LIKE A MAZE. THE PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB IS AT THE END OF THE FIRST FLOOR.
KAEDE HILL
THE HILL BEHIND THE ACADEMY. IT IS SAID THAT YOU CAN FIND YUUKO-SAN'S GRAVE HERE...
OUTDOOR POOL
HASN'T BEEN USED SINCE THE INDOOR POOL OF THE NEW GYM WAS COMPLETED. EERILY DESOLATE, IT'S CONSTANTLY THE SUBJECT OF MANY SUSPICIOUS RUMORS.
SECOND GYM AND MULTI-USE HALL
A FACILITY BUILT DURING THE THIRD EXTENSION PERIOD. THE HALL IS OPEN FOR SELF-STUDY.
TOWER
TALLEST BUILDING IN THE ACADEMY. INSIDE ARE THE SPECIAL CLASSROOMS AND THE CONFERENCE ROOMS.
IT'S SO COMPLICATED...
MIDDLE SCHOOL BUILDING
A RELATIVELY NEW BUILDING. USED FOR THE MIDDLE SCHOOLERS. IT'S GOT A LARGE CLOCK, BUT THE OTHER BUILDINGS ALMOST COMPLETELY BLOCK IT FROM VIEW.
HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING
WITH THE INCREASING NUMBER OF STUDENTS, SMALL EXTENSIONS ARE CONTINUOUSLY MADE TO THIS BUILDING. SCARY GHOST STORIES SAY THAT THE FOURTH BUILDING IS HAUNTED.
NEW SCHOOL BUILDING
THE NEWEST SCHOOL BUILDING TOWERS OVER THE SCHOOL GATES. BUILT DURING THE LAST EXPANSION TOGETHER WITH THE ADJACENT SPECIAL CLASSROOMS. TEIICHI'S CLASS IS HERE.
THE EIGHTH GROUNDS
THE EXERCISE GROUNDS HAVE BEEN MOVED REPEATEDLY DUE TO THE EXPANSIONS MADE TO THE SCHOOL. CURRENTLY THE LOWEST POINT IN THE ACADEMY, THE STAIRS THAT CONNECT IT TO THE MAIN CAMPUS ARE THE SWORN ENEMIES OF THE SCHOOL ATHLETES.


PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUB
• PARANORMAL INVESTIGATIONS CLUBROOM
ORIGINALLY A SHED THAT NO ONE WAS USING. THE SCHOOL HAS MANY OF THESE VACANT ROOMS. AFTER YUUKO-SAN CAME IT WAS REBORN AS A BEAUTIFUL CLUB ROOM. ALL WITHOUT THE SCHOOL'S CONSENT, OF COURSE.
• BOOKSHELF
VARIOUS BOOKS HAVE BEEN PLACED HERE AT THE WHIM OF THE CLUB PRESIDENT (YUUKO-SAN). MAYBE IT'S BASED ON THE COLOR OF THE SPINE?
• WINDOW
FACES WEST. THE SETTING SUN FLOODS IN AND MAKES THE ROOM HOT.
• BASEMENT
FINAL RESTING PLACE OF YUUKO-SAN'S REMAINS. CURRENTLY SEALED UP.
• DESK
CLUB PRESIDENT'S SEAT. VARIOUS JUNK CROWDS ITS SURFACE.
• COSTUMES
BEYOND THIS SCREEN IS YUUKO-SAN'S CHANGE OF CLOTHES. ALL OF HER COSTUMES ARE TAKEN OUT FROM THIS PLACE. JUST WHERE EXACTLY THESE COSTUMES COME FROM IS A SECRET DEEPLY SHROUDED IN MYSTERY...
• SHELF MADE OF DESKS
SINCE THERE'S NO PLACE ON THE DESK, THIS IS USED AS A SHELF. IT'S FILLED WITH A PROJECTOR, MINERAL SPECIMENS, AND OTHER USELESS STUFF.
• RECEPTION SEAT
A GEM FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE. THE LAST PRINCIPAL WAS SAID TO HAVE TAKEN AFTERNOON NAPS ON THIS SOFA.
• JUNKYARD STUFF
WE CAN USE THIS! STUFF YUUKO-SAN HASN'T FOUND A PLACE FOR YET. NEEDLESS TO SAY, MOST OF IT WILL DISAPPEAR INTO SOME WAREHOUSE.

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